REMARKS:

In response to the restriction requirement, Applicant hereby elects claims 41-44, 49-66, and 76-78 to the "Group 1" invention identified in the Office Action. Non-elected claims 45-48 and 67-75 are hereby canceled without prejudice and with the intention to preserve the option to pursue them in a continuing application.

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